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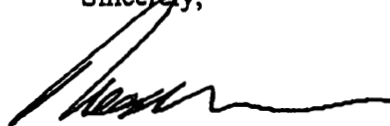
Re: MUR 5447

Dear Mr. Levine:

Enclosed is the signed Consent to Extend Time to Institute a Civil Law Enforcement Suit which was enclosed with your letter of today.

Please call if you have any further questions about this matter.

Sincerely,



THOMAS D. VAUGHN

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Enclosure

cc: Harvey M. Tettlebaum, w/o enclosure
Robert L. Hess II, w/o enclosure

Via Facsimile

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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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Missouri Republican State Committee—
Federal Committee and Harvey M.
Tuttlebaum, as treasurer)

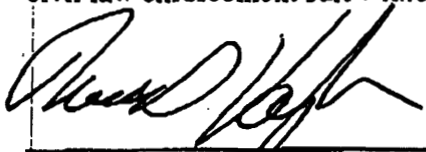
MUR: 5447

**CONSENT TO EXTEND TIME
TO INSTITUTE A CIVIL LAW ENFORCEMENT SUIT**

The Missouri Republican State Committee—Federal Committee and Harvey M.

Tuttlebaum, as treasurer (collectively, "Respondents") and the Commission wish to extend probable cause conciliation discussions in this matter for an additional thirty days. Respondents agree to toll the statute of limitations for a period of thirty days for any civil enforcement action that the Commission might institute concerning MUR 5447 pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(6).

This agreement thereby extends the time in which the Commission may institute a civil law enforcement suit for thirty (30) calendar days from the expiration date of the five-year statute of limitations found at 28 U.S.C. § 2462 and/or any other statute of limitations or repose that may be applicable in this matter. There shall be no additional consent to extend the time to institute a civil law enforcement suit without the written consent of Respondents.



Thomas D. Vaughn
Counsel for Respondents



Date